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For STEEL WIRE FOR HARD DRAWN SPRING EXCELLENT IN FATIGUE  
STRENGTH AND RESISTANCE TO SETTLING, AND HARD DRAWN  
SPRING

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